

Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges
Year to Date Summary Report
Based On Number of Reported Cases
January - December 2002 (Final update)

Juvenile Court **Blount**
Court Number **5**

East Region

January - December 2002 (Final update) **1,827 Cases** Were Disposed Of Or Adjusted
Affecting **1,378 Children**

General Characteristics Of These Cases Follow:

Referral Reasons Before Amended Charges *Each Case May Include Up To 5 Referral Reasons
Therefore The Number Of Total Referral Reasons, Referral Sources, Intake Actions, Formal/Informal Actions,
And Person Executing The Action May Be Greater Than The Total Number of Cases*

0	OR	0.00% Criminal Homicide
0	OR	0.00% 1st Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% 2nd Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Rape
4	OR	0.22% Rape of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
2	OR	0.11% Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Kidnapping
1	OR	0.05% Aggravated Child Abuse/Neglect
1	OR	0.05% Aggravated Sexual Battery
3	OR	0.16% Rape
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Manslaughter
0	OR	0.00% Vehicular Homicide
4	OR	0.22% Sexual Abuse of a Child
1	OR	0.05% Other Sexual Offenses
8	OR	0.43% Aggravated Assault
0	OR	0.00% Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Criminally Negligent Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
73	OR	3.95% Assault
1	OR	0.05% Reckless Endangerment
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Arson
0	OR	0.00% Arson
14	OR	0.76% Aggravated Burglary
113	OR	6.12% Theft of Property
37	OR	2.00% Vandalism
0	OR	0.00% Forgery
0	OR	0.00% Worthless Checks
0	OR	0.00% Illegal Possession/Fraudulent Use of Credit/Debit Cards
23	OR	1.25% Burglary
0	OR	0.00% Unauthorized use of a Vehicle

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2	OR	0.11% Cruelty to Animals
3	OR	0.16% Sale of Controlled Substances
15	OR	0.81% Other Drug Offenses
40	OR	2.17% Possession of Controlled Substances
0	OR	0.00% Criminal Attempt
1	OR	0.05% Carrying Weapons on School Property
2	OR	0.11% Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon
6	OR	0.33% Evading Arrest
1	OR	0.05% Escape
4	OR	0.22% Driving Under Influence (DUI)
59	OR	3.20% Possession/Consumption of Alcohol
26	OR	1.41% Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Criminal Trespass
3	OR	0.16% Harassment
0	OR	0.00% Failure to Appear
5	OR	0.27% Filing a False Police Report
16	OR	0.87% Criminal Impersonation
33	OR	1.79% Disorderly Conduct
6	OR	0.33% Criminal Trespass
4	OR	0.22% Public Intoxication
0	OR	0.00% Gambling
127	OR	6.88% Traffic
1	OR	0.05% Local Ordinances
2	OR	0.11% Violation of Wildlife Regulations
3	OR	0.16% Contempt of Court
176	OR	9.53% Violation of Probation
1	OR	0.05% Violation of Aftercare
187	OR	10.13% Unruly Behavior
31	OR	1.68% Truancy
76	OR	4.12% In-State Runaway
2	OR	0.11% Out-of-State Runaway
103	OR	5.58% Possession of Tobacco Products
0	OR	0.00% Violation of a Valid Court Order
15	OR	0.81% Violation of Curfew
2	OR	0.11% Sexually Abused Child
0	OR	0.00% Physically Abused Child
52	OR	2.82% Dependency/Neglect
1	OR	0.05% Termination of Parental Rights
2	OR	0.11% Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00% Judicial Review
0	OR	0.00% Administrative Review
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Review
187	OR	10.13% Custody
8	OR	0.43% Visitation
187	OR	10.13% Paternity/Legitimation
93	OR	5.04% Child Support
0	OR	0.00% Request for Medical Treatment
0	OR	0.00% Consent to Marry
79	OR	4.28% Other
1,846	OR	100.00% Total

Of the 1,827 Cases, There Were
Referral Source

1,846 Referral Sources

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807	OR	43.7% Were Referred By Law Enforcement
262	OR	14.2% Were Referred By Parents
108	OR	5.9% Were Referred By Relatives
1	OR	0.1% Were Referred By Self
44	OR	2.4% Were Referred By School
2	OR	0.1% Were Referred By CSA
149	OR	8.1% Were Referred By DCS
52	OR	2.8% Were Referred By Other State Departments
240	OR	13.0% Were Referred By District Attorney's Office
89	OR	4.8% Were Referred By Court Staff
29	OR	1.6% Were Referred By Social Agency
2	OR	0.1% Were Referred By Other Court
30	OR	1.6% Were Referred By Victim
5	OR	0.3% Were Referred By Child & Parent
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Hospital
6	OR	0.3% Were Unknown
20	OR	1.1% Other
1,846	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 1,827 Cases, There Were
Intake Actions

1,846 Intake Actions

1,351	OR	73.2% Petition Filed
4	OR	0.2% Motion Filed
487	OR	26.4% Citation Processed
0	OR	0.0% Notification of Acknowledgement of Paternity Processed
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Judicial Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Administrative Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Foster Care Review
3	OR	0.2% Other
1	OR	0.1% Unknown
0	OR	0.0% Does Not Apply
1,846	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 1,827 Cases:

Type Of Detention

10	OR	0.5% Non-Secure Placement
598	OR	32.7% Juvenile Detention Facility
1	OR	0.1% Jail - Complete Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Partial Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - No Separation
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
11	OR	0.6% Unknown
1,205	OR	66.0% Does Not Apply
2	OR	0.1% Other
1,827	OR	100.0% Total

Placement After Secure Detention Hearing**Blount**
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333	OR	18.2% Returned To Prior Living Arrangement
25	OR	1.4% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail
27	OR	1.5% Shelter Facility/Group Home
7	OR	0.4% Foster Family
2	OR	0.1% Psychiatric Hospital
222	OR	12.2% Unknown
1,200	OR	65.7% Does Not Apply
11	OR	0.6% Other
1,827	OR	100.0% Total

During January - December 2002 (Final update) Dispositions or Adjudication

1,378 Children

Age of Child At Referral

431	OR	31.3% Birth Through Age 10
89	OR	6.5% Ages 11 Through 12
212	OR	15.4% Ages 13 Through 14
379	OR	27.5% Ages 15 Through 16
261	OR	18.9% Age 17 Through 18
2	OR	0.1% Age 19 And Over
4	OR	0.3% Unknown/Not Reported
1,378	OR	100.0% Total

Sex of Child

802	OR	58.2% Male
555	OR	40.3% Female
21	OR	1.5% Unknown
1,378	OR	100.0% Total

Race of Child

1,142	OR	82.9% White
117	OR	8.5% African American
1	OR	0.1% Native American
0	OR	0.0% Asian
28	OR	2.0% Mixed Race
90	OR	6.5% Unknown
1,378	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 1,378 Children Referred

Hispanic Origin

25	OR	1.8% Were Of Hispanic Origin
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Living Arrangement of Child At Time of Referral

188	OR	13.6% Living With Both Biological Parents
23	OR	1.7% Living With Father And Stepmother
92	OR	6.7% Living With Mother And Stepfather
556	OR	40.3% Living With Mother
117	OR	8.5% Living With Father
188	OR	13.6% Living With Relatives
10	OR	0.7% Living With Adoptive Parents
44	OR	3.2% Living With Foster Family
54	OR	3.9% Living In A Group Home
12	OR	0.9% Living In A Residential Center
3	OR	0.2% Living In An Institution
13	OR	0.9% Living Independently
53	OR	3.8% Unknown
25	OR	1.8% Other
1,378	OR	100.0% Total

School Enrollment of Child

1,007	OR	73.1% Were Enrolled In School
264	OR	19.2% Were Not Enrolled In School
107	OR	7.8% Unknown
1,378	OR	100.0% Total

Last Grade Completed By Child

191	OR	13.9% Too Young For School
5	OR	0.4% Pre-School
30	OR	2.2% Finished Kindergarten
12	OR	0.9% Finished Grade 1
26	OR	1.9% Finished Grade 2
24	OR	1.7% Finished Grade 3
33	OR	2.4% Finished Grade 4
45	OR	3.3% Finished Grade 5
63	OR	4.6% Finished Grade 6
92	OR	6.7% Finished Grade 7
143	OR	10.4% Finished Grade 8
161	OR	11.7% Finished Grade 9
151	OR	11.0% Finished Grade 10
131	OR	9.5% Finished Grade 11
22	OR	1.6% Finished Grade 12
0	OR	0.0% Non-graded Special Education
22	OR	1.6% GED
23	OR	1.7% Graduated
10	OR	0.7% Never Been In School
194	OR	14.1% Unknown
1,378	OR	100.0% Total

Enrolled In Special Education

82	OR	6.0% Were Enrolled In Special Education
1,099	OR	79.8% Not Enrolled In Special Education
197	OR	14.3% Unknown
1,378	OR	100.0% Total

NOTE: In 2002 the Case Outcomes data was created so that each Juvenile is only counted "One time per Disposition Date with that particular Outcome". This will result in lower totals than past years (if comparing to previous Summaries and Reports), however this will reflect a more accurate number of Outcomes that were ordered per Court Hearing (Disposition Date).

The Following Are The		3,078 Specific Case Outcomes
358	OR	11.63% Case Dismissed
33	OR	1.07% Case Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
0	OR	0.00% Warned/Counseled
259	OR	8.41% Held Open For Review
99	OR	3.22% Supervision/Probation To Juvenile Court
0	OR	0.00% Probation To Parents
194	OR	6.30% Referral To Another Entity For Supervision/Service
32	OR	1.04% Referred For Mental Health Counseling
55	OR	1.79% Referred For Alcohol and Drug Counseling
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alternative School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Private Child Agency
36	OR	1.17% Referred To Defensive Driving School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alcohol Safety School
9	OR	0.29% Referred To Juvenile Court Education-Based Program
88	OR	2.86% Driver's License Held Informally
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Placement With DMHMR
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Health Placement
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Retardation Placement
0	OR	0.00% Placement with City/County/Agency/Facility
0	OR	0.00% Placement with Relative/Other Individual
108	OR	3.51% Fine
97	OR	3.15% Public Service
26	OR	0.84% Restitution
0	OR	0.00% Runaway Returned
148	OR	4.81% No Contact Order
0	OR	0.00% Injunction Other Than No Contact Order
1	OR	0.03% House Arrest
86	OR	2.79% Court Defined Curfew
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Pretrial Diversion
40	OR	1.30% Released From Probation
0	OR	0.00% Transferred To Adult Court
0	OR	0.00% DMHMR Involuntary Commitment
0	OR	0.00% DCS Commitment - Determinate
29	OR	0.94% DCS Commitment/Custody
3	OR	0.10% DCS Commitment - Suspended
0	OR	0.00% DCS Intensive Probation
65	OR	2.11% Other Intensive Probation
148	OR	4.81% DCS Probation
12	OR	0.39% Placed Under a Valid Court Order
0	OR	0.00% Supervision By DCS
4	OR	0.13% Transferred To Another Juvenile Court For Disposition
0	OR	0.00% Parental Rights Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Parental Rights Not Terminated

0	OR	0.00% Order of Reference To DCS
629	OR	20.44% Court Costs
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Terminated
15	OR	0.49% Foster Care Continued
191	OR	6.21% Custody Changed
69	OR	2.24% Custody Unchanged
53	OR	1.72% Visitation Changed
0	OR	0.00% Visitation Unchanged
13	OR	0.42% Voluntary Acknowledgment of Paternity
33	OR	1.07% Paternity Determined/Child Legitimated
0	OR	0.00% Paternity Not Determined/Child Not Legitimated
80	OR	2.60% Child Support Granted
63	OR	2.05% Child Support Amended
1	OR	0.03% Child Support Denied
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Granted
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Denied
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Granted
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Denied
1	OR	0.03% Other
3,078	OR	100.00% Total

Disposed By

Of the 1,846 Referral Reasons Disposed, There Were

1,271	OR	68.9% Disposed By The Judge
463	OR	25.1% Disposed By The Referee
100	OR	5.4% Disposed By The YSO
12	OR	0.7% Other
1,846	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 1,827 Cases Disposed,

The **Action Used To Dispose/Adjust** Each Of The

1,846

Referral Reasons Was:

371	OR	20.1% Dismissed
46	OR	2.5% Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
328	OR	17.8% Complaint Substantiated Delinquent
151	OR	8.2% Complaint Substantiated Status Offender
18	OR	1.0% Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglected
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Abused
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill
0	OR	0.0% Informal Adjustment
105	OR	5.7% Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.0% Transfer To Adult Court Hearing
1	OR	0.1% Charges Cleared By Transfer To Adult Court
593	OR	32.1% Special Proceeding
0	OR	0.0% Review Concluded
221	OR	12.0% Case Held Open
12	OR	0.7% Other
1,846	OR	100.0% Total